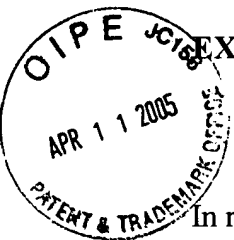


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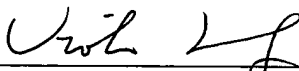
Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Requirements dated March 28, 2005, Applicants are submitting here with Notification of the Recording of a Change issued by the International Bureau dated August 11, 2004. The Notification indicates that Ruediger Ridder and Magnus Von Knebel Doeberitz are added as Applicants for the United States Application.

Applicant believes there are no fees associated with this Response, however the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, including fees under §1.17; or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 08-3038 referencing Atty. Dkt. No. 05033.0006.PCUS00.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures

1. Copy of Response to Notification of Missing Requirement
2. Notification of the Recording of a Change – Ruediger RIDDER
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
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